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In re Application of:

Kakefuda, et al.

Serial No. **09/893,033**

Filed: **June 27, 2001**

For: **Cyanobacterial Nucleic Acid Fragments
Encoding Proteins Useful for Controlling
Traits Via Nuclear or Plastome
Transformation**

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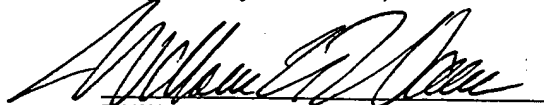
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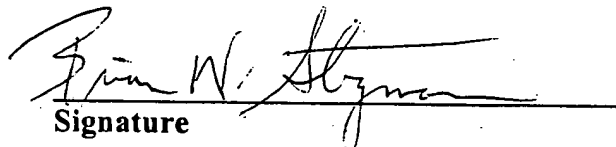
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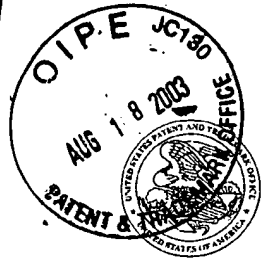

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